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INTOXICATION.

MYSTERIOUS WORKINGS OF ALCOHOLIC STIMULANTS.

In a late number of the Edinburgh Review is an exhaustive and carefully-written paper upon "The Physiological Influence of Alcohol." It is calm and scientific, not emotional, but crowded with facts and information. According to this article, when a spirituous drink is taken into the body it does not simply run through the digestive cavity of the body, but it runs through the blood before before it can find any escape, and it clings to that blood for a considerable period, flowing with it round and round through the circling stream of its increasing progress. It goes everywhere, in each fibre, membrane and tissue, and tills and saturates each vital organ—flesh, brain, heart, liver, lung, kidney, skin and secreting apparatus. Wherever there should be blood under the natural arrangements of life, there is now blood mingled with the alcoholic spirit.

Articles of food are "complex bodies, built up from simpler elements by the effort of vegetable life." Alcohol is not such a complex principle. The foods which furnish substance to the living structures are, for the most part, composed with the aid of nitrogen, and have therefore an affinity with the vital parts of the human structure. "The fibrin of the blood, the muscular flesh, the cartilaries and tendons, the membranes and the the skin, the soft nerve-pulp and the brain, are all so many examples of nitrogenized matter." But alcohol is entirely devoid of nitrogen in any form. In the exceptional cases where alcohol has been found useful as a medicine, an unnatural condition of the body exists, and physicians should determine when stimulants as a medicine are necessary.

The parts of the body which possess the most energetic vitality, the brain, the nerves and the nervous material of the spinal cord, are principally composed of matter of the most pulpy consistence, so soft that it may be almost termed melting. This nerve pulp is packed into minute filmy sacks and tubes discernable only by microscopic aid. Through these tiny and almost invisible films the blood is "filtered." The nerve pulp appropriates such qualities of the blood as nourish life and and build up the structure, and at the same time they reject and throw back into the stream their own waste particles. Large quantities of water enter into the composition of this pulpy matter, and the first evil effect of alcohol is an "uncontrollable impulse" to draw water into itself. Excessive use of alcohol hardens and dries up the nerve pulp in such a way as to impair if not spoil it for its proper office. When excessive drinking does not produce intoxication it is because the nerve-pulp has become insensible as an "oiled silk."

The flushed face upon the approach of inebriation is among the earliest signs of the disturbance of these delicate 'filters' in their work, the face being among the parts of the body exceptionally supplied with blood. The 'restraining' of filtering work of the pulpy substance is impaired, and hence the unnatural reception of blood into pulp cells. If this unnatural process is repeated, or becomes habitual, the blotches, red, swollen or pimpled face is the result of keeping the nerve-pulp saturated with alcohol, and the delicate membranes, thickened, dried and red, show through the skin.

The first stages of intoxication are shown in the want of command over the lower lip and lower limbs. The nerve-pulp of the spinal cord is touched. The muscles feel the torpor. Trembling and shuddering follow. Next the nerve-pulp of the brain comes under evil influence, and the control of the judgment and the will disappears. When a man is what is termed 'dead drunk,' the paralysis of the higher nerve centres and of the brain is carried to its full end. All inlets of the senses are closed, all consciousness and sensation is destroyed, and all power of voluntary movement is effaced. The heart—the seat of life—toils on. If an enormous quantity of alcohol is swallowed at once, as in the case of foolish wagers, the toil of the heart soon ceases and the man is dead indeed. But in ordinary instances the torpor saves life, as it stops the drinker just at the point when further drinking would kill him outright.

With this general view of the effects of alcohol, and the manner in which they are produced, it is easy to understand why headache, sleeplessness, nausea, palpitation of the heart, and the 'trembling delirium' accompany and follow the excessive use of alcohol. A poison in the stomach can be pumped out or voided. A poison in the blood must wait removal till the efforts of nature effect it. But when nature itself is abused or impaired, its recuperative power soon becomes destroyed. The effect of continued alcoholization upon the liver, kidneys, and stomach it is unnecessary to describe, as they are well understood. But where the mischievous process begins and how it is continued are points new to the most non-medical readers.

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Annual Report of the Board of Directors of Royal Hospital, Victoria.

Your Directors beg to report that the change made at the last general meeting, reducing the number of elective directors from sixteen to six, has proved, in our opinion, a decided advantage.

During the last year your directors considered it expedient to effect a change in the staff of the Hospital by substituting a visiting for a resident surgeon, and obtained the services of Dr. Davie; also, engaging Mr. Rutherford and wife as steward and cook. This change your directors find has shewn increased efficiency with a considerable reduction in expenditure, as compared with previous years.

Your directors regret to say that illness deprived them of the services of Mr. Rutherford, to whose active exertions much of the improvement in the working of this institution is due. Another change made by the Board was the purchase of supplies from trades, men in rotation, instead of by contract as formerly. This they consider has proved beneficial so the Hospital and satisfactory to the Board.

At the commencement of the year the books of the Hospital showed an indebtedness of $3,008 70, which amount was met by a grant from the Provincial Government of $3,000. Of this sum $2,250 has been received by the Board and paid over pro rata, as shown by the Treasurer's account; the balance, $750, is still due from the Provincial Government.

During the year a new Ward has been erected by the Government, which enabled the directors to increase the comfort of patients by making a day ward for convalescents to be used also as a dining room. Hitherto all meals were served in the sick wards.

The drainage, which was very defective, has been greatly improved, and a dead-house, which formerly was underneath the building, has been constructed on another part of the ground

Another improvement which adds much to the comfort of the patients, and which your directors have been able to do out of the ordinary revenue, was to purchase in England iron bedsteads to replace the old stretchers.

During the year 105 patients have been admitted, making, with 22 already there, a total of 127 indoor patients. Of this, 11 have died, 99 have been discharged and 17 remain in the wards. There have also been 40 persons treated as outdoor patients, receiving advice and medicine gratis. The daily cost per head averages 90 cents, and deducting the amounts for furniture and repairs, reduces this to 84 cents per head. The average, as reported last year, being $1 03, thus showing a saving of about 20 cents per head per day during the past year.

The sources of income for the year were as follows:

Government Grant 13 months	$5,516 58
Corporation Grant 7 months	175 00
Pay Patients	466 87
Subscriptions and Donations	489 25
Cash Balance received from late Treasurer	54 64
Total	$6,602 34
Expenditure	6,459 20
Balance on hand	$ 143 14

Particulars of these items will be found in the Treasurer's report.

The Board is pleased to notice the increased interest taked by the public in the Hospital as shown by the visitors' book, and also think those who so kindly remembered the inmates of the Hospital during the year, and especially at Christmas time, the names being too numerous to mention.

Your directors cannot close their report without expressing their entire satisfaction with the care and attention bestowed upon the patients by Dr. Davie, whose report we append herewith.

We also wish to express our satisfaction of the services of the present steward and cook, Mr. and Mrs. McNeil.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Hon. Secretary.

2nd of March, 1876.

To the Committee of the Royal Hospital.

GENTLEMEN:—During the year beginning February 1st, 1875, and ending February 1st, 1876, one hundred and five cases have been admitted into the Royal Hospital of this city; some forty cases have also been treated at the Hospital as "out patients," making a total of one hundred and forty-five patients relieved by this institution during the above specified time.

Out of this number there have been eleven deaths from the following diseases:

One from cancer.
Two from valvular disease of the heart.
Two from consumption.
Two from aneurism of the aorta.
Two from Bright's disease of the kidneys.
One from apoplexy.
One from stricture of the intestine.

Amongst the cases treated have been twelve of fracture, viz:

One case of fractured ribs.
One case of fractured femur (thigh).
One case of fractured fibula (leg).
One case of ununited fracture of the humerus (arm).
One case of compound fracture of fibula (leg).
One case of compound fracture of elbow joint (gunshot).
Two cases of fracture of the pallella (kneecap).
One case of compound fracture of carpus (wrist) (gunshot).
One case of fracture of the scapula (shoulder-blade).
One case of compound fracture of malaraspus (hand) (gunshot).
One case of compound fracture fibula (leg).

The condition of the Hospital as compared to what it was in the past I need not comment on; only those who have personally visited the institution during both periods can appreciate the vast improvements which have taken place during the past year.

I am, Gentlemen, your obedient,
JNO. C. DAVIE, M. D.,
Surgeon to the Royal Hospital.
Victoria, February, 25th, 1876.

Miscellaneous.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of Royal Hospital from 1st February, 1875, to 29th February, 1876.

To Cash from late Treasurer		$ 54 64
Government Grant for 13 months		5,416 59
Corporation do for 7 months		175 00
Pay Patients		466 87
Subscriptions and donations as per list	$504 25	
Less amt. collected by late Treas. and included in above bal.	15 00	
		489 25
Total Receipts		$6,602 35
Less Expenditure as per statement attached		6,459 20
Leaving a bal. in hands of Treas. of		$ 143 15

ALEX. WILSON, Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the books of the Royal Hospital and find the above statement of Receipts and Disbursements to be correct.

THOS. RUSSELL.

Victoria, 29th Feb., 1876.

Detailed Statement of Expenditure for Royal Hospital, Victoria, from January, 1875, to February, 1876, inclusive.

Month.	Salaries.	Groceries.	Bread.	Meat.	Vegetables.	Milk.	Liquors.	Medicines.	Repairs.	Furniture.	Funer'l Fees Car'ge Hire.	Fuel & Light	Washing and Cleaning.	Advertising & Stationery	Sundries.	Totals.
January	$ 156 00	$ 56 47	$ 22 68	$ 75 05	$ 5 25	$ 36 12	$	$	$	$ 20 00	$ 25 00	$ 3 75	$ 13 50	$	$	$ 413 82
February	158 75	65 30	18 00	77 19	6 33	14 19	5 25	....	....	....	....	20 25	14 50	....	11 25	391 01
March	150 00	66 69	13 27	56 39	10 90	12 54	12 38	21 95	11 74	46 75	....	7 50	11 50	18 00	5 75	445 36
April	195 00	39 13	13 44	46 53	10 34	17 05	11 25	106 25	95 75	39 02	....	42 00	15 00	6 00	1 25	638 01
May	150 00	65 92	16 06	50 91	12 91	13 62	19 00	....	5 75	....	17 00	57 00	14 00	....	....	422 17
June	150 00	34 69	14 49	41 83	12 07	13 20	19 00	....	6 62	23 25	....	13 50	15 00	....	34 62	378 27
July	150 00	57 17	12 42	40 92	7 00	15 34	26 50	83 37	....	8 00	....	....	15 00	....	10 00	425 72
August	150 00	52 14	10 92	38 14	12 75	12 87	20 00	....	....	29 25	....	7 00	14 50	....	12 50	360 07
September	150 00	45 32	13 07	40 05	8 75	14 50	18 50	....	....	19 75	....	27 50	12 00	....	6 00	355 44
October	150 00	69 80	20 27	49 31	14 67	13 69	19 00	115 85	....	....	17 00	7 00	12 00	....	....	488 59
November	100 00	62 25	19 49	50 17	11 14	14 68	9 50	....	....	9 50	37 00	101 50	12 00	....	30 75	457 98
December	197 50	106 27	24 04	49 00	20 74	14 68	....	85 94	....	404 76	31 50	14 75	14 00	....	3 00	966 18
January	150 00	28 62	9 31	28 94	9 56	11 55	....	35 49	178 48	180 63	....	58 50	12 50	7 50	5 50	716 58
	$2007 25	$749 77	$207 46	$644 43	$142 41	$204 03	$160 38	$448 85	$298 34	$780 91	$127 50	$360 25	$175 50	$31 50	$120 62	$6459 20

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To Cash on account of Special Grant	$1,500 00
To do do do	750 00
	$2,250 00

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By paid Cash Estate R. Lewis (in full)	$ 67 55
" W. R. Clarke do	77 20
" John Weiler do	46 81
" George Thomson	189 97
" A. J. Langley & Co (on acct)	213 00
" H. Saunders do	250 00
" Stafford & Goodacre do	427 00
" J. S. Drummond (in full)	95 54
" Denny & Spencer do	34 84
" J. W. Williams do	29 92
" D. W. Higgins, Adv. Arrears	2 50
" Standard	2 50
" Burns & Edwards (in full)	40 53
" H. Saunders (on acct)	450 00
" Stafford & Goodacre do	200 00
" A. J. Langley & Co. do	100 00
" Engelhardt & Co. (in full)	15 9[illegible]
" Hibben & Co. do	6 04
By Balance	67
	$2,250 00

I hereby certify that I have examined the books of Royal Hospital, and find the above statement to be correct.

THOS. RUSSELL.

Victoria, 29th Feb., 1876.

List of Subscriptions Royal Hospital, 1875.

Alex. McLean	$ 5 00
Hy. Short	5 00
James Fell	5 00
H Saunders	5 00
Hudson Bay Company	100 00
French Benevolent Society	20 00
T. J. Partridge	5 00
Thos. Charles	2 00
George Morison	2 50
W. J. Macdonald	10 00
C. S. Jones	2 50
John Finlayson	5 00
John Parker	5 00
C. Prevost	5 00
"Standard"	2 50
Friend	1 50
W. R. Clarke	5 00
Thos. Wilson & Co	5 00
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Brown & White	2 50
J. Robson	5 00
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall	5 00
A Gilmore	5 00
H. F. Heisterman	5 00
A Friend	1 00
Langley & Co.	10 00
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J. Boscowitz	2 00
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The success of this delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE,
and to see that their names are upon the Wrapper, Label, Stopper, and Bottle.
Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea and Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.
Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce and see Name on Wrapper, Label and Stopper.
Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.
To be obtained of Messrs. JANION, RHODES & CO., Victoria, V.I.
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LAMPS LAMPS
FOR
Kerosene, Peroleum and Paraffin.
WRIGHT AND BUTLER,
MANUFACTURERS AND EXPORTERS,
BIRMINGHAM.
Table, Street, and Station Lamps and Lanterns of all descriptions, Chandeliers, Brackets, &c., in great variety.
Lamps fitted with American or any other description of burner.
Patentees of the celebrated
"ECLIPSE"—NO CHIMNEY BURNER.
Specially adapted for up-country districts, as all breakage of chimneys is avoided, and the light given much greater than that of any other burner same size wick. Photographs and books containing over 500 designs upon application. Indents must be sent through an English house or covered by drafts 60 day
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KEATING'S
PERSIAN INSECT-DESTROYING
POWDER,
As Supplied to Her Majesty's Government.
THIS Powder is quite HARMLESS TO ANIMAL LIFE, but unrivalled in destroying FLEAS, BUGS, BEETLES, MOSQUITOS, MOTHS IN FURS, and every other species of Insect. SPORTSMEN will find this an invaluable remedy for destroying FLEAS IN DOGS, as also Ladies for their Pet Dogs. This invaluable article has found so great a sale that it has tempted others to vend a so-called article in imitation; the Public are therefore cautioned to observe that the Packets of the Genuine Powder bear the autograph of THOMAS KEATING.
SOLD IN PACKETS AND TINS, BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
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Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 14TH, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Mr. Mackenzie's Interpretation Letter.

A Gross Forgery.

Ever since the famous Minute of Council was promulgated in this Province the public mind has been agitated by the indefinite character of the document respecting the proposition to compensate the Province for "delays in Railway construction." Some writers have contended that the "delays" referred to meant those that had already taken place; and others that they meant delays that might occur in the future. To put an end to the agitation on this point and to obtain a clear interpretation of the language of the Minute all the British Columbia Senators and Representatives met in caucus at Ottawa on the 13th ult. Mr. Roscoe acted as Secretary of the caucus, and was instructed to address a communication to the First Minister requesting an explanation or interpretation of the compensation clause. Hon. Mr. Mackenzie sent an autograph answer to Mr. Roscoe, a copy of which we received *in Mr. Roscoe's handwriting* by last Monday's mail and published on Wednesday. We republish the letter below:

[*Copy.*] OTTAWA, Feb. 15, 1876.

MY DEAR SIR:—I duly received your letter of the 14th inst., in which you ask whether the offer of $750,000 to British Columbia, in the Minute of Council of September last, had reference only to the Nanaimo and Esquimalt Railway. The offer to build this railway was made in "compensation for delay" in completing the Canada Pacific Railway in accordance with the Terms of Union. (See Minute of Council of July 8th, 1874, and Sept. 17th, 1874, also Sessional Papers, No. 19, 1875.) The offer of $750,000 as stated in the last Minute of September, 1875, was intended as compensation for THESE delays, and in no way affected the other engagements mentioned in the Minute of Council of Sept. 17, 1874.

I am,
Yours faithfully,
A. MACKENZIE.

F. J. ROSCOE, Esq., M. P.

We have capitalized the word "THESE" in Mr. Mackenzie's letter to show that the delays referred to in the Minute of Council meant past and not future delays. On Tuesday the 'Standard' published Mr. Mackenzie's letter in the same form as the copy received by us from Mr. Roscoe but with the most important difference that the word "FURTHER" is substituted for "THESE." Here is the clause as it appeared in the 'Standard:'

"The offer of $750,000, as stated in the last Minute of September, 1875, was intended as compensation for FURTHER delays, and in no way affected the other engagements mentioned in the Minute of Council of September 17th, 1874.

I am, my dear sir,
Yours, faithfully,
A. MACKENZIE.

F. J. ROSCOE, ESQ., M. P.,
House of Commons."

The reader will observe that the letter as it appeared in THE COLONIST and as it appeared in the *Standard* is essentially different. The very point on which the caucus wished to be informed—the point on which the whole agitation of British Columbia has turned—is differently stated by both journals. In Mr. Roscoe's version, as published by us, Mr. Mackenzie is made to say that the Minute refers to *past* delays; and in the *Standard's* version, that it refers to *future* delays! We feel confident Mr. Roscoe's copy of Mr. Mackenzie's letter is correct. Mr. Roscoe is said to have handed British Columbia's "only able representative" a Ottawa the letter to copy. Did the "only able," etc., substitute the word "further" for "these," or did the hands into which the copy fell at the *Standard* office perpetrate the forgery? As these are questions that will doubtless be asked on the floor of the House at Ottawa, we shall make no comment upon this singular discrepancy beyond this: that whoever has been guilty of the crime is deserving, and will probably receive, the severest punishment.

Steam Book and Commercial Printing.

At the BRITISH COLONIST office three steam power presses are kept constantly in motion turning out the best class of printing at the lowest possible rates. New styles of type are received by every arrival. Call and see specimens. *

CHILDREN'S COSTUMES in plain and checked Homespun, Felt, Victoria Cords, &c. Boys' Suits in Serge and Felt (small size), Tunics in Velveteen, Waterproof, Tweed, Serge, &c. The above goods at remarkably low prices. Also, a new lot of Ladies' and Children's Underclothing, Quilted Merino Cloaks, Embroidered Muslin Robes, Polisses, Cashmere and Satin Hoods, Fur-trimmed Boots, &c., at THOS. WILSON & Co's, Government st. *

PHILIP JAMES, M. D., Diplomatized Eclectic Physician and Accoucheur of 45 years' experience, offers his services to the inhabitants of Victoria. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. Rheumatic pains cured in one hour. He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

Finding that it would interfere with his other practice, Dr. James *does not attend smallpox patients.*

Pandora street, above the Synagogue. *

AT THE GLOBE HOTEL, next to Alex. McLean's on Fort street, first-class board and lodging can be had at very reasonable rates. * *

NEVADA.

EMIGRANT GAP, March 9.—Another accident occurred this morning, by which section foreman Recker, of Blue Canyon, was killed in the same manner that the Chinaman was yesterday. He stood too close to the track, and the plow, in passing, disturbed the snow so that he lost his footing and fell under the engine and was killed instantly. The body was terribly mangled. He leaves a wife at Blue Canyon.

The road has been blocked between here and Blue Canyon for 27 hours, but is now clear. West bound passengers of yesterday left here at 7:45 p. m. It has snowed very little to day and looks like clearing up. The amount of snow fallen since March 1st is 103 inches; total for the season 392 inches.

NEW GOODS AT ALBION HOUSE.—Received by this steamer, Jouvin kid gloves in all sizes; ladies fancy silk ties and scarfs in beautiful variety; ruchings; new shawls; silk and moire sashes; embroidered edgings; braiding and floss silks; colored sarsnets; flowers; corsets; alpacas; merinos; Russel cords; blue and other flannels and wool shirtings; gentlemen's underclothing and hosiery; umbrellas, &c., &c., and an assortment of general goods. Special attention is directed to a fine line of black silks bought exceptionally low, and will be sold cheap.

A. B. GRAY & Co., Government Street,
February 16th, 1876. * *

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

WM. HAYNES, Professor of Music,—Processions, Balls, Private Parties, etc., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's, Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention. *

SEASONABLE.—Daily Journals, Pocket and Office Diaries for 1876. T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

New Advertisements.

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING.

MRS. REDGRAVE,

—FROM—

MADAM SMITH'S, Hanover Square, London,

FORT STREET, four doors East of Quadra, Victoria.

Ladies' Own Material Cut and Fitted at Reasonable Charges. mh14 1m

SOWS—DAMAGES.

BROKE INTO THE GARDEN OF the undersigned, adjoining the Lion Brewery, Two Black Sows. No brand. If not called for in ONE WEEK from date and damages and charges paid, WILL BE SOLD to the highest bidder. F. LINFORD.

Victoria, March 13, 1876. mh14 1w*

VICTORIA DISTRICT PLOUGHING MATCH.

THE FOLLOWING RULES WERE ADOPTED at a meeting of the Committee of the Victoria District Ploughing Match:

The Ploughing to be 5 inches deep and 9 inches wide. Each competitor to plough one third of an acre.

Ploughing to commence at 9 a. m. and finish by 3 o'clock p. m. That the classes and Prizes be as follows:

First Class—For all comers, three Prizes.

Second Class—Amateurs, three Prizes.

Third Class—Boys under 18, three Prizes.

The Match will positively come off on Saturday the 25th inst., at Smith's Farm, Swan Lake.

The amounts of the Prizes will be announced next week.

Messrs. Bakes and Phillips are authorized to collect subscriptions in the meantime mh14dw

METROPOLITAN RESTAURANT,

GOVERNMENT St., opp. Theatre Royal, Victoria.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL CONtinue to conduct the above establishment as a first class Restaurant, will spare no exertions to make it worthy the patronage of the public.

Charges Moderate—Private Dining Rooms for Ladies and Families.

Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.

I. RAGAZZONI & SON, Proprietors.

Victoria, B. C., March 10th, 1876. mh11

For Victoria, Port Townsend, New Westminster and Nanaimo.

THE O.S.S.CO'S STEAMSHIP

"GUSSIE TELFAIR,"

J. A. GARDINER, - - - - - - Master.

Will leave Portland for the above ports on or about

WEDNESDAY, March 15th,

Returning to Portland.

For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to

J. P. GOODHUE, Agent, O.S.S.Co.

mh11 Office at Engelhardt & Co's

T. LUBBE,

Yates St., Victoria, B. C.

FURS AND SKINS

PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.

CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments to my correspondents in New York and London.

je7 3m

$20 Reward

WILL BE PAID BY THE UNDERSIGNED for such information as will lead to the detection and conviction of the party or parties who broke into my stable on Monday night last and stole therefrom a BLACK PONY.

C. KING, Yates street.

March 2d, 1876. mh3

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL LEAVE FOR San Francisco by the ensuing steamer, and will be happy to receive consignments or commissions for the purchase and shipment of goods.

ARTHUR FELLOWS.

Victoria, March 1, 1876. mh2

GRAND RAFFLE.

AT THE METROPOLITAN RESTAURANT, Government street, on

Saturday, March 25th, at 8 p. m., Positively.

300 CHANCES at $5 EACH.

1. Silver Tea Set, cost £60.
2. Antique Onyx Ring, valued at £84.
3. Grand Piano, by B. Schotts & Son, Mainz.
4. Silver Mounted Dressing Case, cost £23.
5. Silver Salver.
6. Set 3 Decanter Stands.
7. Pair Silver Candlesticks.
8. Set 4 Carbuncle Studs.
9. Carbuncle Pin.
10. E. P. Toast Rack.

The eight Highest Throws to have the first eight picks; the Lowest Throw the 9th pick, and the lowest but one the remaining Prize.

TICKETS at the Metropolitan. mh12

New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY At the COLONIST OFFICE

New Advertisements.

For Sale.

200 Kegs No. 1 S. I. SUGAR,
50 Bbls. CRUSHED SUGAR,
100 Chests TEA (Young Hyson, Congou & Japan)
100 Cases High Test OIL (Pat. Faucets)
10 Cases CHICORY,
20 Cases MUSTARD, 1lb and ½lb tins,
S. I. RICE, CHINA do.,
Brooms, Pails, Tubs, Washboards,
Cal. Matches, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Flour (Extra), Middlings, Bran, Wheat, Oats, Potatoes, Hams, Bacon, Lard, Butter, Cod Fish, Salmon in bbls and hlf bbls, Liverpool Salt, Coarse and Fine.

And a General Assortment of

GROCERIES

All of which are offered at the

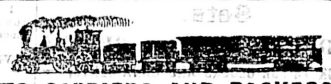
Lowest Market Rates.

Families Supplied at Lowest Rates and Goods Delivered Free of Charge.

—BY—

J. RUEFF & CO.,

GOVERNMENT St., next to Stafford & Goodacre's. fe17



TO CARRIERS AND PACKERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Victoria, up to the 15th of April next, for the undermentioned services.

For conveying from Yale to the Survey Depot, at Fort George, or to Soda Creek, as the case may be, Twenty-five Thousand Pounds, or thereabouts, of general supplies. The supplies to be delivered, if at the Depot at Fort George, on or before the 15th day of June, or if at Soda Creek, on or before the 1st day of June.

For conveying from Yale or from Kamloops, as the case may be, to Tete Jaune Cache, Twenty-five Thousand Pounds, or thereabouts, of general supplies; the supplies to be delivered at the Survey Depot, Tete Jaune Cache, on or before the 15th day of June.

Tenders to state in each case the price proposed to be charged from and to the various places above mentioned, and to be addressed to the undersigned.

Security for the due performance of the work will be required.

The lowest or any tenders not necessarily accepted.

JOHN ROBSON,
Paymaster and Purveyor, C. P. R. S.

Canadian Pacific Railway Office,
Victoria, B.C., March 7th, 1876. mh8dw

CARD OF THANKS.

FORT WRANGEL, 2d March, 1876.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED PASSENGERS by the steamship Gussie Telfair from Victoria, desire to show our appreciation of the Steamer and all arrangements which have been made for our comfort; and to give our hearty thanks to Capt. Gardiner, the Officers and Crew for their kindness and attention to us on the voyage, and also to testify to the excellence of the Provisions and the ability and care which has been displayed in the management of the vessel on this voyage, which has been both speedy and pleasant.

Wm. McCall,	Leon Pappilon,
Peter Davis,	P. Armstrong,
Martin Nelson,	John Davis,
Chas. Cameron,	E. Riley,
Dennis Lyons,	James Porter,
Joseph Duford,	John Dawson,
Louis Gribeaur,	Evan Phelps,
Oliver Loushin,	E. Bray,
Fred. W. Harte,	Joseph Carton
Chas. H. Ross,	John Greene,
L. W. Gifford,	John Ewen,
Geo. Lungston,	Patrick O'Shea,
David Harris,	C. McLinden,
A. Vansickle,	John Rowe,
Cyrus Young,	John Rankin,
Antonio Crilan,	John O'Donnell,
B. Sutter,	Neil Adair,
Oliver Parent,	S. McNabb,
T. Bissant,	James Ferguson,
E. Graton,	Thomas Rowland,
Joseph Miller,	Charles Jones,
Fred. Miller,	Robert McKay,
J. Brabant,	Andrew Donohue,
Geo. Ether,	John Collins,
John B. Lucy,	Thomas Buckley,
E. A. Booth,	James Ford,
D. D. Howse,	Robert Leary,
John W. Ludlun,	C. Daley,
J. H. McKenney,	N. G. Heffern,
John Kennedy,	Thomas Beverley,
Joseph Kennedy,	Duncan Cameron,
H. E. Nicholson,	Alex Forbes,
John Driscoll,	Thos. Lafond,
Michael Boyle,	James E. Rummel,
William Waitt,	Jas. McCarty,
A. Bealk,	John Geary,
P. J. Howlihan,	James Wind,
M. Lebarge,	Joe Serres,
A. Remon,	R. H. Austin,
W. J. Huston,	

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Baynes Sound Colliery Company, Limited.

TRAMWAY.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the abovenamed Company up to Noon on FRIDAY, the 31st inst., for constructing a Narrow Gauge Tramway 3 and 4-10ths miles in length over the Company's Land at Baynes Sound, 10 miles S. E. of Comox, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Company's Office, Langley street, Victoria.

WHARF.

ALSO—Sealed Tenders for constructing a Wharf at the same place, according to plans and specifications at the Company's office.

MINE.

ALSO—Tenders for Driving a Tunnel through Sandstone a distance of not less than 200 feet, at so much per lineal yard or foot, according to specifications at Company's office.

Party contracting to furnish Tools, Powder and Liquts.

Tenders to be separate for the several works, and endorsed Tramway, Wharf or Tunnel, as the case may be.

Security for the due performance of the work will be required,

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Board,

HERBERT GASTON, Secty pro. tem.

Victoria, 1st March, 1876. mh1

Frederick Journeaux.
Edward Journeaux.

NOTICE—ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against either of the above parties are requested to send them in to the undersigned before the 1st of July next, otherwise they will not be allowed.

[Signed] DAVID LENEVEU,
Administrator.

8th March, 1876. mh9

NOTICE.

NOTICE IT HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned at the Metropolitan Restaurant, under the name of Warner & Ragazzoni, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by I. Ragazzoni, to whom all debts due to the late firm are to be paid.

HENRY WARNER,
Witness, INNOCENT RAGAZZONI.
FELIX MARTIN.

Victoria, 9th March, 1876 mh10

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE ASSOCIATed as partners in the General Importing and Commission business, under the style of Fellows & Phillips. ARTHUR FELLOWS,
ALEXANDER PHILLIPS.

Victoria, March 1, 1876. mh2

Y. M. C. Association Reading Room.

THE READING ROOM IN CONNECTION with the above institution is now opened to the public from 10 a. m. till 10 p. m. Local and other newspapers, fe23

Wanted.

Wanted.

A COOK FOR THE CAPTAIN AND OFficers' Messes of H. M. S. Rocket.

mh3 For particulars apply on Board.

Wanted.

A NURSEMAID—Apply to MRS. WM. WILSON,

fe26 Broad street.

Wanted.

A CHIEF OFFICER FOR THE BARK Harrison.

Apply to the Captain on board at Burrard Inlet or to ja9 J. A. RAYMUR.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR FURS, HIDES,

WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
AND CALFSKINS

do30 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf st.

Mr. CHAS. PARDOE

HAVING TAKEN THE PREMISES LATEly occupied by Mrs. Huston, begs to inform the public that he intends to carry on there the old established business of

Gunmaking.

Having had considerable experience with Mr. Short he is confident that he can give satisfaction to any sportsmen who may give him a call, and hopes that his old acquaintances will visit him. de29

PIANOS!

MESSRS. BAGNALL & CO.

HAVE RECEIVED EX LADY LAMPSON the largest and most valuable stock of

GRAND AND UPRIGHT PIANOS,

From various eminent makers, ever imported into this Province, and respectfully invite inspection.

A SPLENDID DOUBLE ACTION HARP by Erard of Paris, and a large collection of Book and Sheet Music, suitable for every class.

Especial attention is directed to their IRON FRAME PIANOS admirably adapted for the extreme North, carefully packed and delivered at the wharf free of charge. Send for prices and terms.

A Fine Old Violincello for Sale.

J. BAGNALL,
Pianoforte Maker, Tuner and Repairer, 19 Fort St.,
Victoria—Established 1863. fe1 3m

Frank Pagden & Co.

AUCTIONEERS,

APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,

Government Street, Victoria,

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the Building on Government street next to Bank of British Columbia. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business and by promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments.

We beg to draw attention to our Map of the City of Victoria, it having been especially executed for us by Mr. Mohun, C. E., and the only correct one now in existence, therefore a desideratum to owners of Real Estate. ja23

FELLOWS & PHILLIPS,

Yates Street, Victoria,

OFFER FOR SALE AT LOW RATES, and in lots to suit:

150 Bbls Flour, assorted.
160 " English Ales, pints and quarts.
6 " Extra Bourbon Whisky.
10 " Port Wine.
20 Cases Brandy, and other Liquors.
50,000 Choice California Cigars, assorted Brands.
50 Boxes Granger Soap.
300 Reams Straw Paper, assorted.

—ALSO—

Axes, Spades, Rakes and Hoes, and a General Assortment of Ironmongery.

Building Paper, suitable for Cariboo and Cassiar. mh2

FRESH AGRICULTURAL GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS!

FOR SALE BY

P. T. JOHNSTON & CO.,

[Successors to Mitchell & Johnston.]

Also, a Fine Assortment of

Nursery Stock of all descriptions, Greenhouse, Bedding Plants, &c., &c.

And every requisite pertaining to the Seed and Nursery business.

For further particulars see Printed Catalogues, which will be forwarded post free on application.

SEED STORE, Occidental Building, Fort St. NURSERY, Cadboro Bay Road

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FOR SALE.

SCOTCH-CANADIAN PLOWS AT REDUCED Prices, at

W. A. ROBERTSON'S,
fe24 Douglas and Pembroke St.

REMOVAL.

R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE

TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.

is now prepared to receive orders for every description of

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds of FRENCH KIP AND CALF, UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY.

Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers

my28 CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Mrs. Maynard's NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS,

VICTORIA, B. C.

IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. ja23

JOHN GRAY, COPPERSMITH,

WHARF STREET, foot of Yates.

Steam Piping for Steamboats and Brewery Kettles done in the Best Style.

Orders will be promptly attended to. ja30

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, PROPERTY-MAN AT Theatre Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity.

Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de3

Notices.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, 28th February, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

A. W. SMITH, of Lillooet, Esquire, to be Government Agent, vice T. SPELMAN, Esq., whose appointment has been cancelled.

A. W. SMITH, Esq., to be a Registrar, under and to carry out the provisions of the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Amendment Act, 1872," vice T. SPELMAN, Esq.

A. W. SMITH, Esq., a District Registrar under the "Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872," for District No. 6, vice T. SPELMAN, Esq.

A. W. SMITH, Esq., to receive applications for Registration and Record, under the provisions of the "Land Registration Act, 1870," and the "Land Registration Amendment Act, 1873," and to perform the duties heretofore allotted to the Stipendiary Magistrate, under the "Bills of Sale Ordinance, 1870," the "Bills of Sale Amendment Act, 1873," and the "Cattle Exemption Act, 1871," for the Polling Division of Lillooet, vice T. SPELMAN, Esq.

9th March, 1876.

HENRY CLASSON COURTNEY, of Victoria, Esquire, to be Commission of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia.

HENRY CLASSON COURTNEY, Barrister-at-Law and Solicitor, of Victoria, Esq., to be Police Magistrate for the City of Victoria. mh12

Information Wanted

OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF PATRICK JOSEPH MANNION. When last heard of was in New Westminster. News will be gladly received by the Roman Catholic Clergy, Humboldt street, Victoria. mh12

NOTICE.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED DO HEREBY caution the public in Victoria and Cassiar against crediting for labor or material for the Discovery Claim on Dease Creek, as we intend to make a change in the foremanship. We also wish to state that the claim is not to be worked until representing time.

WM. MOORE,
Victoria, B. C., 6th Feb., 1876. J. W. MOORE. fe8

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.

January 21st, 1875. JESSE & H. M. COWPER. ja22

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Insolvent Act of 1875.

In the matter of John Herdman, an Insolvent.

I THE UNDERSIGNED, C. T. DUPONT, of the City of Victoria, have been appointed Assignee in this matter.

Creditors are requested to file their claims before me within one month.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.

Victoria, Feb. 29th, 1876. mh1

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON,
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

Supreme Court.

SHANNON vs. POOLEY. [Official Administrator.]

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE SUpreme Court of British Columbia made in this cause, tenders will be received for the purchase of two pre-emption claims, viz: Nos 678 and 715, containing 160 acres each, situated in New Westminster District, being the property of the late JOHN ROBERTS, deceased.

Tenders to be sent in by the 15th of March next, to the undersigned.

The sale is to be subject to the approval of a Judge of the Supreme Court

For further particulars apply to

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Government St., Victoria.

Dated the 21st February, 1876. mh7

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A list of all persons liable to pay Road Tax in the District of South Cowichan for the year 1876, has been posted at Harris' Landing, Cowichan Bay, copies of which are deposited in the office of Mr. Morley, Maple Bay. JOHN MORLEY,
Assessor and Collector.

Maple Bay, Feb. 1st, 1876. fe13dw

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
4th February, 1875.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint JOHN USSHER, Esq., to be Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Yale, vice J. Campbell, Esq., whose appointment has been cancelled. fe13

ROAD TAX LIST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Road Tax List for Comox District is posted at the Courthouse and at the Hudson Bay Co's store at Comox. JOS. RODELLO, Collector

Comox, Jan. 29, 1876. fe5dw

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONed against trusting my wife, Mme. Delaire, on my account. V. DELAIRE

YALE, Feb. 20, 1876. fe25 1mdw

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF

Mules or Horses,

BELONGING TO THE

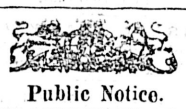
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order MARCUS SMITH.

VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw



Public Notice.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON private business to the Hon. Forbes George Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, are requested by the undersigned to endorse the word "Private" on the outside of the envelopes covering such communications.

A. S. FARWELL,
Lands & Works Dept., Surveyor-General.
Victoria, March 1st, 1876. mh2dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Bridge near Mr. Horth's Farm, on the West Saanich Road, is unsafe for heavy traffic. Due notice will be given when the bridge is thoroughly repaired.

A. S. FARWELL,
Lands & Works Dept., Surveyor General.
Victoria, March 2d, 1876. mh3dw

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS.

THE BROTHERS OF THE CHRISTIAN Schools will apply at the next Session of Parliament for an Act of Incorporation, enabling them to hold property throughout the Dominion. mh5 9t

Ships and Steamers.

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MASTER NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the bark Boulah. SPROAT & Co., Consignees.

Victoria, 4th Feb., 1876. fe5

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MASTER NOR THE und-signed will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the bark Aboyne.

SPROAT & CO., Consignees.

Victoria, 2d February, 1876. fe4

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.

THE O.S.S.CO'S STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA.

CAPT. JOHN HAYES,

Will leave for Fort Wrangel and Sitka on or about SUNDAY, the 12th March.

For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to

J. P. GOODHUE, Agent O.S.S.Co

fe17 Office at Engelhardt & Co's.

Bark Chiloe—Notice to Consignees.

THE ABOVE VESSEL WILL COMMENCE discharging on Wednesday morning, at 8 o'cl'k at the wharf of the undersigned.

Consignees are requested to call at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners. HENRY RHODES & CO.,

Victoria, March 6, 1875. Store street. mh7

Bark Chiloe.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNdersigned agents of the above vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.

HENRY RHODES & CO.

Victoria, March 5, 1876. mh7

Ship Black Eagle.

NEITHER CAPTAIN HUGHES NOR THE undersigned agents of the above vessel will be be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew or officers. WELCH, RITHET & CO.

Victoria, March 4, 1876. mh5 1w

THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Winter Arrangement.

THE FIRST-CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP 1500 tons

CITY OF PANAMA,

Will sail for San Francisco at 1 o'clock p. m. on the *3rd and *18th of each month.

For Victoria, Port Townsend, Seattle and Tacoma, connecting with Northern Pacific R. R. for Portland and steamers for Olympia, on the 14th and 29th.

RETURNING:

Leave San Francisco on the 10th and 25th.*

Leave Tacoma on the 15th and 30th for Seattle, Port Townsend, Victoria and San Francisco.

*NOTE—When the sailing day comes on SUNDAY the sailing day will be MONDAY, on arrival of mail steamer from Puget Sound.

HENRY RHODES & CO., Agents.

Store st., Victoria.

fe18 OTIS FREEMAN, Travelling Agent.

Notice to Mariners.

No. 83 of 1875.

VICTORIA, B. C., HARBOUR LIGHT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Lighthouse, erected by the Government of Canada on Berens Island, western shore of entrance to Victoria Harbour, Vancouver's Island, British Columbia, will be put in operation on the 1st March next.

Lat. 48 deg. 25 min. 24 sec. N.
Long. 123 deg. 20 min. 0 sec. W.

The building is a square wooden tower 30 feet high from base to vane, with a dwelling attached, and is painted white.

The light is a fixed BLUE one, elevated 44 feet above high water, and in clear weather should be seen a distance of 6 or 7 miles.

The light is intended as an harbour light and bears N.N.W. ½ W. magnetic from the bell buoy on Brotchie Ledge.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine, &c.

Department of Marine and Fisheries,
Ottawa 27th December, 1875. fe1

For Sale—To Let.

For Sale.

IN NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT 945 Acres of Rich Delta Land on Lulu Island, viz:—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Block 4, North Range 5 West. For particulars apply to

M. J. GOODE,
my27tf Insane Asylum, Victoria, B.C.

FOR SALE.

THE OLD-ESTABLISHED HALF-WAY House and Brewery on the Esquimalt Road.

Apply on the premises to

no18 JAMES BLAND.

To Be Let.

TWO HANDSOME OFFICES IN THE COLONIST BUILDING. The best on the street.

se11tf Apply to D. W. HIGGINS

Good Investment.

FOR SALE—THE BRICK STORE AND adjoining premises now occupied by Messrs. Seitz Bros., Yates street.

For particulars, etc., enquire of

MESSRS. BROWN & WHITE,
fe1 Government street.

Yates Street.

FOR SALE—A SMALL HOUSE PLEASANTly situate on Yates street, with full sized lot.

Apply to THOS. ALLSOP & CO.,
fe23 Real Estate Agents, Government St.

NOTICE.

TO BE SOLD, 4 FULL INTERESTS IN the Creek Claim and Hill Claim known as Somers' Claim, McDame's Creek, Cassiar.

Also—One interest in the Rabbit Company's Claim, with ¼ interest in the water of Somers' Ditch, subject to recorded rights; also, the remainder of the water privilege known as Somers' Ditch, as the same is recorded, will be sold with the claims.

Tenders will be received for each interest separately, or for the whole, on or before the 22d day of February instant.

C. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator of the Estates of Moses Somers, Charles Somers, William Smith and Joseph Cahill.

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RARE INVESTMENT.

Coal Mining Shares—Baynes Sound Colliery Company, Limited.

77 SHARES OF $100 EACH, ON WHICH $2700 (about $35 06 per share) has been paid up, are offered for sale together or in lots.

These shares were taken by the late Capt. Parsons a few days before his death and must be sold to wind up his estate. The greater portion of the Company's shares are held by a few leading business men as a permanent investment, and it is expected that the Company will commence shipping coal within a few months.

Tenders may be addressed to

MR. EDWIN JOHNSON,
fe19 1mdw Barrister-at-law, Victoria.

Farm at Chilliwhack for Sale.

A FARM SITUATED ON THE SUMAS side of the Chilliwhack River, containing 200 acres of Prairie Land, partly fenced, with Barn and House. For further particulars apply to

fe29dw Or to MR. CHAS. CONLEY, Victoria.
D. W. MILLER, Sumas.

FOR SALE.

A SHORTHORN DURHAM WELL-BRED Milch Cow, color red, age between 4 & 5 years, one of the best bred cows on the Island, calve in April. Terms reasonable.

Also—One Spring Wagon. Enquire of

PARIS CARTER,
fe24 Pandora st., near St. Louis College.

TO RENT.

ANY PERSON DESIROUS OF RENTING a Restaurant and Boarding House. For particulars will apply at the GLOBE INN,

fe15 Esquimalt.

Farm To Be Let.

EASY DISTANCE FROM TOWN, RAISES 50 tons of first-rate Timothy Hay; fully stocked.

Apply to MR. MORRISON,
mh5 1m* Drug Store, Victoria.

Daily British Colonist

TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 14TH, 1876.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

March 13—str Grappler, Burrard Inlet
sch Alert, West Coast
str North Pacific, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

March 13—str Beaver, Nanaimo
str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
str Enterprise, New Westminster
str Maude, Nanaimo

IMPORTS.

Per bark Henry Buck, fm San Francisco—523 pkgs mdse, 3 pkgs powder, 1 can acid, 850 cs coal oil, 1500 mats rice, 6 cs cigars, 4 bales leather.

Per str North Pacific, fm Puget Sound—2 horses, 1 mule, 14 carcs mutton, 85 sks bran, 1 cs mdse, 12 sks oysters, 2 bxs eggs, 14 cs goods, 68 empty barrels.

CONSIGNEES.

Per bark Henry Buck, fm San Francisco—J Hirst, J Rodella, Vancouver Coal Co, P McQuade & Co DJT, JG, G Chuck, HO, S J Pitts, John Weir, KH&Co, J A McDonell, HOY, D Smith, John Pawson, P Sabiston, H Meldrum & Co, Galbraith & Smith.

Per str North Pacific, fm Puget Sound—W Reynolds Geo. Lawrence, D Lenevou, W J Jeffree, J Levy, T O Wilson, Sam On Lung, H Rhodes & Co.

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 12th inst., the wife of Mr. Jabez King, of a son.

MARRIED.

At St. John's Church, Victoria, B. C., March 13th, 1876, by the Rev. D. Holmes (brother in law of the bride), Captain S. R. Hughes to Ellinor Josephine youngest daughter of J. Nagle, Esq., of Victoria, B. C.

Extraordinary Conduct of the Mayor.

At a quarter to eleven o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Courtney, P. M., entered the Municipal Police Courtroom and found the Mayor and the officers of the Court there. Mr. Courtney asked what cases were to come before the Court? The Mayor said there were two Municipal cases and that he intended trying them.

Mr. Courtney replied—"I intend to try them and shall take the Bench at eleven o'clock." He then went to his private office, whither the Mayor followed, and stated that in all Municipal cases he intended to sit on the Bench—anyway, until after Wednesday.

Mr. Courtney—I have my commission and shall try *all* cases. There must be no more trifling.

The Mayor—I shall postpone the sitting of the Court for an hour.

The Mayor then went into the Clerk's office and ordered Inspector Bowden not to bring up the prisoners till 11½ o'clock.

At 11 o'clock, precisely, Mr. Courtney took his seat on the Bench. There were neither policemen nor prisoners in the Courtroom. The Magistrate held his seat till 10 minutes past 11 when Inspector Bowden came in.

The Magistrate—Where are the prisoners?

Inspector Bowden—They will be here, presently.

In about 5 minutes' time the prisoners were brought in when.

Mr. Courtney asked the Inspector why the prisoners were not in the dock at 11 o'clock, the hour to which the Court had been adjourned on Saturday.

The Inspector said he had received orders not to bring them up till 11½ o'clock, and that afterwards the order was countermanded.

The Magistrate—I require that you shall take no further orders from any persons except myself with reference to Police Court matters; and I hope I shall not have to refer again to the matter.

The extraordinary course of the Mayor on this occasion cannot be reconciled with the conduct of a man in his *sober* senses.

Y. M. C. A.—A most interesting entertainment was given under the auspices of this admirable association at the rooms of the Society last night. The audience was very large and comprised a number of ladies. The programme consisted of vocal and instrumental music with here and there a reading or recitation and in several instances the selections were not only well chosen but excellently rendered. Before the concert commenced tea was served by the good ladies connected with the association, which apparently had a very beneficial effect on those who subsequently took part in the programme, it being almost without exception most successfully carried out. The entertainments of the Y. M. C. A. appear to gain popularity week by week and they richly deserve the stimulus of public patronage. Councillor Thomas Trounce presided last evening.

THE MCGIBENY FAMILY.—This interesting troupe gave their farewell concert at Theatre Royal last evening to full house. Nearly every piece was encored and the audience went away highly delighted with what they had seen and heard. No troupe has ever visited this city and given greater satisfaction than the McGibenys, and all who visited their entertainments will be sorry to learn that they sail today for home. We believe it is the intention of the family to visit the Centennial where they will, no doubt, prove a very great attraction.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—The American bark Henry Buck, Captain Sorman, arrived alongside the Hudson Bay Co's wharf yesterday afternoon, ten days from San Francisco, with 100 tons of freight, consisting principally of rice and coal oil, for this port and Nanaimo. She will commence to discharge here this morning and will subsequently leave for Nanaimo, returning thence to San Francisco with coal. She has been chartered to run between Nanaimo and San Francisco in the coal trade for one year and will bring whatever freight may offer at San Francisco instead of coming up in ballast. Capt. Sorman reports a rough voyage, heavy winds and chopping seas.

GONE TO SEA.—On Wednesday the following vessels of the grain-bearing fleet, having completed their cargoes, crossed the bar for their respective destinations: Ophelia, John Rennie, City of Tanjore and Hannibal.—*Oregonian.*

STEAMSHIPS.—The City of Panama will not go above Seattle this trip, and after discharging freight will load at Departure Bay. The Dakotah sails from San Francisco for Victoria and all Sound ports on the 25th inst.

A SHOWER of quivering flesh is the latest sensation in Kentucky.

Another Pacific Victim.

The Body of A. B. Ordway Recovered.

The schooner Alert, Capt. Christiansen, arrived from the West Coast yesterday morning. Capt. Christiansen reports that about the of December the Indians found in a cove to the westward of and near Kyuquot Sound, the body of a man fully dressed. The body was without a life-preserver and the hands and face were gone. They towed the remains to the trading-post at Kyuquot where Mr. Smith (formerly purser of the steamer Otter) examined them. He found $123 in money in the pockets of the clothes, a number of papers and Government Savings Bank (Victoria branch) pass-book No. in the name of Alvin Burgess Ordway, containing an entry of the deposit of $100 in said Bank on the 23rd September last, and another entry of the withdrawal of $100 on the 2nd of November. From the book and other papers the body was fully identified as that of A. B. Ordway, formerly a hackman in the employ of Mr. S. Whitley, and well known in this city. He took passage in the steamship Pacific for San Francisco from this port on the 4th of November, and perished with nearly 350 others off Cape Flattery the same night. Deceased was a native of an interior town of New York State. Mr. Smith paid the Indians—who seem to have acted with great propriety—the Government reward of $20 for each body recovered from the Pacific, interred the body and sent the remainder of the money, the pass-book and the papers to this city by Capt. Christainsen. Ordway was a volunteer in the late American war and served through two or three campaigns in the South. He was aged 33 years.

SONG SERVICE.—On Sunday evening the McGibeny family gave a musical entertainment at the Theatre partaking of a semi-religious character, and designated a "Song Service." The building was crowded in all parts, and the audience manifested a very lively interest in the singing and playing of the children which in several instances were excellent. Mrs. McGibeny also rendered sacred song in admirable voice. Little Allie was again the recipient of a silver shower and before the conclusion of the service a handsome collection was taken up.

MARRIAGE — Yesterday, at St. John's Church, Captain S. R. Hughes of the ship Black Eagle was united in the bonds of matrimony with Miss Ellinor J. Nagle, youngest daughter of our esteemed fellow citizen Capt. J. Nagle, the Rev. Mr. Holmes of Cowichan, brother-in-law of the, bride officiating. During Captain Hughes' visits here he has gained many friends and he now has the best wishes of the community for the future happiness of himself and bride.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The steamer North Pacific arrived here at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Olympia and way ports on Puget Sound. She experienced heavy weather in crossing. A small mail, some 15 tons of freight and about 30 passengers arrived. Amongst the latter were Colonel Briggs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, Messrs. Callbreath, Collins and Welton.

SILVER.—Everybody is growling about silver. Too much of it seems to trouble not only those who might be supposed to have plenty of it, but also many who have precious little of it, not apparently enough to keep even with the world. We are stowing ours away in empty nail kegs down in the cellar.—*Seattle Tribune.*

THE BARK CHILOE.—This vessel is still discharging at Messrs. Rhodes & Co.'s wharf and her freight is coming out in excellent order. Yesterday she was gaily bedecked with bunting, in recognition of the nuptials of Miss Nagle and Captain Hughes.

THE $750,000.—The *Standard* says the *Guardian* urges the acceptance of the $750,000 from Canada. Well, that's bad enough; but the *Herald*—organ of the late Government—gravely urges that $750,000 is a mistake for $7 50 and thinks the Islanders more than compensated if they were to accept that.

UPWARDS of 30,000 of the United States silver trade dollars are in circulation in various places on Puget Sound and the half dollar coin is becoming comparatively scarce.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Repulse arrived at La Libertad, Guatemala, on the 21st of January to receive the Majee indemnity money.... H. M. S. Fantome was at Acapulco on the 16th February.

DISCOUNT.—The banking establishments of this city have resolved to change, three percent. discount on all sums of silver over 10 dollars. On the Sound the rate ranges from 4 to 5 per cent.

FOR WRANGEL AND SITKA.—The steamship California sailed at 5 o'clock on Sunday morning for Nanaimo, Fort Wrangel and Sitka with 50 passengers and about 140 tons of freight.

THE GUSSIE TELFAIR.—This steamer reached Portland on Saturday night, 2 days from this port. She sails again tomorrow evening.

WEATHER BOUND.—The ship Niagara, from the south, bound for Port Gamble, was lying weather bound at Neah Bay on Sunday night.

A LIGHTHOUSE will be built by the U S. Government at Point No Point, Puget Sound.

THE remains of the late Mr. Stafford are on board the City of Panama, due today.

NO EASTERN MAIL came yesterday owing to the snow blockade.

DUE,—The steamer Otter is due at this port from the North.

"Berkeley, Sept. 1869.—Gentlemen, I feel it my duty I owe to you to express my gratitude for the great benefit I have derived by taking Norton's Camomile Pills. I applied to your agent, Mr. Bell, Berkeley, for the above named pills, for wind in the stomach, from which I suffered excruciating pain for a length of time, having tried nearly every remedy prescribed, but without deriving any benefit at all. After taking two bottles of your valuable pills I was quite restored to my usual state of health. Please give this publicity for the benefit of those who may be afflicted.—I am, Sir, yours truly, HENRY ALLPASS. —To the Proprietors of NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS.

Suggestive.

EDITOR COLONIST:—It is said that when His Washup and the party who "tak's the neems doon," beat a hasty retreat on the appearance of the new Police Magistrate, a venerable gentleman after steadying himself two or three times attempted to console them by the lines of Shakespeare, "*Farewell, a long farewell to all my greatness,*" but emotion choked his utterance. But, be that as it may, it would appear from your contemporary that the question is not yet settled, and that something may be expected from the next sitting of the City Council. It would be impossible to anticipate what that remarkable body may do, as their habit of making appointments seems to have become chronic.

Without venturing an opinion on their late attempts in this direction, I would like to point out a splendid opening for them. Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie's elevation as Lieut. Governor will, of course, leave the position of Chief Justice at the disposal of the City Council.

Here is a chance for one of them to do the grand;—and why not? It is so (h)easy, and will save the country not $1800, but nearly $5000 a year.

Their native modesty may shrink from it, but patriotism calls them to the front, and I believe they will not be found wanting. E. M. No. 3.

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

SUNDAY'S DESPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, March 10.—The jury in the inquest at Poplar, on the Strath Clyde disaster, returned a verdict that they find the captain of the Franconi is to blame for the manner in which he navigated his vessel; that the collision occurred in consequence thereof, and that his conduct was influenced by the pilots, whose behavior deserved grave censure.

They conclude by pronouncing a verdict of manslaughter against the captain.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The 'World' describes Bowen's last statement as filthy and partly evidence of nothing in particular.

It has now come to light that Mrs. Tilton's brother affirms her guilt, if Bowen speaks truly, and Bowen affirming his knowledge of Beecher's guilt while at the very first time he (Beecher) was summoned for spiritual consolation to the bedside of his dying wife.

The 'Tribune' says Bowen is ridiculous. He offers to show Plymouth Church he had reasons for believing Beecher guilty, but refuses to put them in form to be met.

CINCINNATTI, March 9.—The new Secretary of War, Judge Taft, leaves for Washington to night.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

BOSTON, March 11.—William Robinson, a journalist known as Warrington, died at his residence in Malden to-day.

QUINCY, Ill., March 11.—The 'Whig' has reports of the effect of the storm in Missouri last night. At Elizabethtown some 17 houses were postrated, 5 persons killed and 7 wounded, some fatally. At Hasson three buildings and the railroad depot were blown down and three persons killed. The damage to timber and fences was very great.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Gold closed at 14½@⅝.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, March 10.—The latest intelligence from Hazelgreen, Wisconsin, reports these facts:—The storm struck the village between four and five o'clock this afternoon on the west side, sweeping through the entire village, levelling to the ground some 25 buildings and killing outright eight persons, besides seriously wounding twelve or more others. The carnage is reported as terrible. The hurricane was succeeded by a deluge of rain and hail. The village of Hazelgreen has a population of probably one thousand inhabitants. It is situated twelve miles east of Dubuque and is almost wholly a mining village in the very heart of the lead diggings.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Judge Taft, accompanied by secretaries Robeson and Chandler, called this morning on the President at the Executive Mansion and there met Chief Justice Waite, who administered the oath of office, after which the new Secretary of War proceeded to the War Department and began the duties of his office.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—It was reported on the streets this morning that an arrangement had been effected between the Government and the managers of the Consolidated Virginia and California mines to take the product of these mines for the year and apply it to the resumption of specie payment. Mr. Flood states that the bargain is understood to have been consummated but all details are not yet settled.

A large crevice is reported in the levee on Delta Island in the Delta of the Sacramento River. It is feared that the whole Island, 16,000 acres in extent, will be inundated. Thousands of acres of grain in splendid condition will be destroyed.

OREGON.

CORVALLIS, March 11.—The mail carrier from Newport reports the wreck of a schooner about four miles from Cape Foulweather. She came ashore bottom up and was loaded with cedar lumber. One body was washed ashore. Name of vessel is unknown.

PORTLAND, March 11.—Legal tenders in Portland, 87 selling; 88 buying.

EUROPE.

LONDON, March 11.—A land slide last night at Coal Cut, a small town in Northern Germany, caused by recent heavy rains, buried 8 houses and 26 persons.

The 'Times' has a leader on the exposure of official corruption in America. It concludes as follows: On the whole we cannot but feel that even though the investigation or prosecution now pending should prove futile, the impression on the public mind must be that a nice sense of honor and propriety does not preside in the official world of the United States."

INDIA.

BOMBAY, March 11.—The Serapis, with the Prince of Wales and suite, has sailed from here for England. After calling at Malta, where a series of grand receptions are arranged, and also at Lisbon, the Prince of Wales will go direct for Portsmouth, reaching there about the 20th of April.

DELAYED DISPATCHES

EUROPE.

PARIS, March 9.—After M. Rouher's election, the Bonapartists made a demonstration in Ajaccio, shouting vive L'Empereur. The gendarmes and troops dispersed the crowd, and several arrests were made.

The manifesto of the Herzegovinians has been issued. It declares the insurgents will summon Servia and Montenegro to openly wage war and continues. We hope Russia will prove a Messiah of freedom to the Servians. We believe she cannot remain unmoved at Turkish cruelty. The other powers will grant us indirect help. Let England open her eyes and leave Turkey to her ruin. The manifesto concludes—We demand either true independence or death. We sign this declaration with our blood and will accept no other proposal.

BERLIN, March 9.—The Christian subjects of the Sultan have hitherto been exempt from military duty, and they now refuse to continue to pay the examination tax and offer instead to give their military services.

PARIS, March 6.—The results of 74 elections yesterday are now known, and the candidates elected are classified as follows: Republican, 22: Conservative Republican, 9: Radicals, 6: Constitutional Conservatives, 9: Legitimists, 3: Bonapartists, 25.

LONDON, March 9.—The remains of the late Lady Augusta Stanley, who died on the 1st inst., were buried at Westminster Abbey to-day, with great pomp. Queen Victoria and daughter, Princess Beatrice, the Marchoiness of Lorne, were present. The Archbishop of Canterbury, primate of all England, the Earl of Shaftesbury and Duke of Westminster, were chief pall-bearers. The Duke of Northumberland, the Bishop of London, Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone, Viscount Cardwell, Max Muller, and many other distinguished persons formed in the procession. Dean Stanley, the chief mourner, performed the burial service. The remains were interred in Westminster Abbey, at the express wish of the Queen, an honor accorded to few ladies.

BERLIN, March 10.—The Prussian "Cros Gazette" announces that the petition of the Arnim's family to the Emperor for the Count's pardon has been refused.

MANCHESTER, March 7.—Private advices from Prague announce the suspension of Kauffmann, a large manufacturer of linen and cotton goods. Liabilities £500,000.

LONDON, March 7.—Winslow, the forger, will proceed to Boston by the steamer Siberia on the 21st of March.

LONDON, March 6.—Albert Grant the noted financier intends to go to Washington, and personally testify before the House committee on foreign affairs to the following effect: First—That he never told Lyon that he (Grant) had given Senator Steward 2,000 shares to become a director in the Emma Mine or to assist in getting Gen. Schenck on the board, and that Lyon's statement to the contrary is absolutely untrue; that he has never seen Lyon, nor had any communication with him in his life.

LONDON, March 11.—A dispatch from Pesth says the Danube is again rising and the houses are falling.

A dispatch from Adelaide announces the death of Sir Richard Davies Hanson, Chief Justice of South Australia.

MADRID, March 8.—In the Cortes today a member interrogated the government in regard to the recent capture of an English merchantman by a Spanish guarda-costa and the recapture of the vessel by its own crew. The minister for foreign affairs in reply stated he had made representations to the British minister in Madrid, demanding satisfaction and protesting against the contraband trade by British vessels from Gibraltar.

A royal decree permits the Carlists who have fled from the country since the 1st of February to return to Spain, if they do so within forty days. The leaders must first swear allegiance, but all Carlists who formerly held office in Spain are excluded.

ROME, March 9.—King Victor Emanuel opened the session of Parliament to-day. His speech treated of the prosperous condition of the country, the perfectly friendly relations of foreign states, and the recent visits of the Emperors of Germany and Austria. He expresses pride at the progress and efficiency of the army and navy. In connection with the Bosnian insurrection, he says: "I have deemed it expedient to participate in the negotiations between the great powers, with the object of aiding in restoring tranquility in each, and assuring the welfare of the Christian population. The Sultan received the proposals favorably."

RAGUSA, March 7.—Insurgent leaders on Sunday last informed Baron Radich, governor of Dalmatia and Austrian commissioner, that they require of Turkey, as condition of peace, to withdraw 40 battalions of her troops from Herzegovina, and allow the insurgents, whilst remaining in arms to treat with the Beys. If this is refused, Austria or some other power will effect an armed intervention.

PARIS, March 9.—Ministerial negotiations are temporarily suspended. It is now considered probable that the cabinet will await the meeting of the chamber for the purpose of being guided by the opinion of the majority. Of 107 elections held yesterday, the results of 102 are now known, and are as follows: Constitutional Conservatives, 11; members of Left Center, 14; Republicans, 31; Radicals, 10; Bonapartists, 27; Legitimists, 9. Ajaccio returns ex-Minister M. Rouher, defeating Prince Jerome Napoleon.

VIENNA, March 8.—The 'Neue Free Presse' reports that the number of insurgents in the Turkish provinces are diminishing daily and that peace may be expected shortly.

LONDON, March 8.—Charles Brent, travelling under the name of Clarence Rivers, who was arrested on board the steamship City of Richmond when she arrived at Queenstown, charged with forging $15,000 worth of bills on Falls City National Bank of Louisville, was brought before a magistrate at Queenstown yesterday, and after a short examination was ordered to London preparatory to extradition.

The 'Daily News' says the appointment of Richard H. Dana, jr., as American minister to the court of St. James, is one of the most creditable that could be suggested. It revives the old tradition of honoring men of letters with important positions. Dana will be welcomed here on many accounts. The appointment seems to indicate a return to a healthier sense of public duty in the distribution of posts.

The 'Hour' states that Lord Derby called on the Emma Mine Company to withdraw its suit against Robert Schenck, on the ground that the writ of arrest was served while Schenck held the office of ambassador, and was, therefore, illegal. The company, in deference to Lord Derby, immediately withdrew the writ, and have sent a letter to Schenck notifying him of the withdrawal.

The 'Hour' says Schenck's course in quitting England without taking leave of the Queen is unprecedented.

The 'Hour' announces that the Co-operative Bank—limited—an institution similar to the co-operative credit bank, has suspended payment. On Monday it had only 25 shillings cash on hand.

The 'Times' correspondent at Rome telegraphs that a crowded meeting of the Italian Geographical Society was held yesterday to bid farewell to the Central African expedition under the Marquis Antenoris, Prof. Chiarini and Capt. Martini which embarks at Naples for Aden to-day. The Crown Prince Humbert, Gen. Menabrea and other distinguished persons were present. A banquet was given the members of the expedition last night.

The "Ruski 'Mir' calls attention to the alarming enlargement of fortresses and the construction of strategical railways on the eastern frontier of Prussia.

A Vienna telegram announces that the Montenegro leaders in the insurrection in Herzegovina have retired.

EASTERN STATES.

ROCHESTER, March 10—The failure of Eastman & Colby, lumber dealers, of Rockport, is announced; liabilities $400,000, assets $250,000.

NEW YORK, March 8—The *Tribune* shows that the prime facts of the Belknap scandal in connection with the Fort Sill tradership were traced by its correspondent to the door of the War Department in 1872, and deduces from the failure to investigate the facts the President's responsibility; but the public sense of national humiliation generally seems deeper here than a disposition to make party capital. Although it has long been supposed that the suttlers were compelled to contribute to the political funds, this is the first case wherein there has been any evidence of corruption.

NEW YORK, March 7.—Heiser & Company, bankers of this city, deny in toto the statement attributed to Fred Mitchell of Kansas city, to the effect that they stated President Grant had received a gold draft for $20,000 from the Emma mine ring, for inducing Schenck to become a director, and that the draft was negotiated through their house. The firm say there is not a word of truth in the story, as they will be glad to testify.

NEW YORK, March 8—The stmr. South Carolina sailed for Panama yesterday. She is the Pioneer vessel to the proposed opposition to the Pacific Mail; nevertheless many still believe the only object of the opposition is to force better terms for the Panama railroad.

ST. LOUIS, March 8.—R. J. Schenck, cashier or the Iron Mountain Bank, suicided this morning by shooting himself with a pistol. His wife committed suicide in the same manner a day or two ago, and this probably led to his act.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Sixteen hearses were driven this morning to the Home for the Indigent of the Little Sisters of the Poor in Brooklyn, where the terrible calamity by fire took place yestetday, and into these were placed coffins containing 18 bodies gathered from the ruins. The spectacle was a sad and sickening one. Only three of the bodies were identified; the others were so charred that it was impossible to tell one from another.

NEW YORK, March 9—Senor Josef Olzada, an eminent Spanish gentleman, a resident for about 55 years in Havana, was abducted yesterday afternoon at the corner of Lafayette Place and Fourth street. He had $25,000 or $30,000 deposited in a banking house, which he drew out yesterday, intending to leave the city to-day, when, in company with his nephew, at Broadway and Fourth streets, a man placed his hand on his shoulder and showed a shield and arrested him. Neither of the Spaniards understood English, and the nephew being frightened ran away. On his return with assistance the man had disappeared with his uncle and neither could be found. The Spanish consul was communicated with and several jails visited, but no trace of him can be found. It is thought he was abducted for his money.

LOUISVILLE, March 9.—A special to the *Courier Journal* from Mount Sterling, Kentucky, conveys the intelligence that during to-day a most wonderful phenomenon transpired in that section. The correspondent says that during the sunshine of a clear syk there fell from the heavens quivering flesh, which came down in large quantities and filled acres of territory. Hogs and chickens eagerly devoured the flesh, specimens of which have been sent to this city for scientific examination.

LOUISVILLE, March 10—Capt. J. M. Bent, a retired lawyer of Mt. Sterling, and a gentleman well known for reliability, arrived in Louisville to-night with specimens of the flesh which fell last Friday in Bath county. The flesh covered two acres of ground, and resembled mutton, and left traces of blood on the trees and fences which were touched by the falling flakes. Chickens and hogs devoured it with exceeding relish. The heavens were clear; the sun shone and only floating clouds were visible at the time—2 o'clock, p. m., March 3d. Quantities of the flesh have been preserved. That which was brought to Louisville was given to Prof. Lawrence Smith, a well known scientist, who says there is no doubt that it is animal flesh. He purposes making an examination to-morrow.

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—Lieut.-Gov. Antoine and 16 other prominent colored Republicans, have signed a card addressed to Senator Ferry, protesting against his action in ordering the exclusion of Senator Pinchback, an ex-governor, from the floor of the Senate. They say this action seems a heavy, unjust and painful reflection on our race, through its highly honored representative.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The order under which Pinchback was yesterday excluded from the floor of the Senate chamber was not issued to apply to him exclusively. Several Senators having complained lately of annoyance on account of too many persons being on the floor, the president of the Senate yesterday morning gave an order to the doorkeeper to strictly enforce the 47th rule. It so happened that Pinchback was one of the first on whom the new order had to be enforced. His case having been decided the day before, the doorkeeper could not allow him the privilege of the floor as he was no longer an applicant for a seat.

Ex Secretary Belknap remains in his own house, which he has not left since he tendered his resignation, and is to all purposes a prisoner. The entrance, back and front, being guarded by policemen.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—The Pacific Mail steamer City of San Francisco has just arrived from Australia. She astonishes the natives of New Zealand on her arrival at Auckland. The editor of the *Daily Herald* detailed a reporter to "write her up." On boarding the vessel the reporter was so struck with admiration that he thought he couldn't do justice to the subject, and rushed back to the office and brought down the chief editor. The latter was so impressed with what he saw that he in turn brought down the whole corps of the paper. All hands quit work and celebrated the occasion by getting gloriously tight, and the paper, being left to itself, failed to appear for that day.

Capt. Waddell, of Shenandoah fame, will take command of the lately arrived steamer City of San Francisco on her next trip. The *Chronicle* this morning publishes a letter from Ebenezer F. Nye, of New Bedford, in which the writer asserts that, when captured in the bark Euphrates by Waddell, he showed the latter San Francisco papers containing full accounts of the surrender of Lee, the official correspondence between Lee and Grant and the assassination of Lincoln. Waddell remarked if the Confederacy could not fight the Shenandoah could, and he would burn the ship.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—The complaint brought by the C. P. R. R. Co. against A. A. Cohen, in the third district court, alleges in substance that Cohen, while employed as agent and attorney of the company, purchased a piece of city property from Henry B. Tichnor for the plaintiff for $200,000, but had the papers made out for $250,000 and pocketed the difference; that he also, in a purchase of coal for the use of the company, which was entrusted to him, swindled them on transportation 50 cents per ton, amounting to $563.76. The company therefore asks judgment for $106,376, with interest and cost of action.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—In the Spalding court martial to-day, the examination of Hugh Morgan, president of the Bank of British North America, disclosed that the bank held naval certificates of indebtedness to a large amount as security for moneys advanced Montague and Hanscome, on some of which part payment had been made, as the bank had been assured by Spalding that the certificates were all right and would soon be paid. The certificates had been presented personally to Spalding, who examined them and compared them with copies in his book. Morgan will also be brought forward as a witness for the defense.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—The bark Isaac Jeans, with lumber from Puget Sound, went ashore outside the South Head, about 3 o'clock this morning, and went to pieces. The crew were saved. A swell setting in from the recent gale, and the wind falling, caused her to drift on the rocks. She was an ancient tub, built in the East, and has been in service for years on this coast. She went to pieces so quickly on striking that the crew had barely time to save themselves. She belonged to Adams, Taylor & Co., of this city, and was about 800 tons burden.

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Lake District.	CVII according to Office Map of said District.	Containing 135 Acres or thereabouts, save and except half-an-acre or thereabouts on the Southwesterly extremity of said Section.	$200 Incumbered to Edwin Johnson, 4th November, 1875, by Louis Duval. Boyd *vs* Snider and Duval, Judgment of the County Court, British Columbia, at Victoria, $259 68, 5th January, 1876, Registered 17th February, 1876.

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27th March, 1876, at 12 o'clock, Noon.	Sheriff's Office, Bastion Street, Victoria.

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1 Grand Prize	$10,000	Gold Coin.
1 " "	$ 3,000	"
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A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney General. WHEREAS it is expedient to change the place for the nomination of Candidates for Election to the Legislative Assembly in the Electoral District of Yale, and to alter the Polling place in the Polling Division of Lake, in the Electoral District of Victoria District, from Stevens' Hotel to the School House, near the "Royal Oak" Inn,

NOW KNOW YE that by virtue of the authorities contained in the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," and the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1875," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council hereby proclaims and appoints that the place for the nomination of Candidates for Election to the Legislative Assembly, for the Electoral District of Yale, shall be at the Court House, Kamloops, instead of at the School House, Cache Creek, as heretofore; and that the Polling place for the Polling Division of Lake, in the Electoral district of Victoria District, shall be at the School House, near the "Royal Oak" Inn, instead of at Stevens' Hotel, as heretofore.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Fourth day of February, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the thirty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

CHARLES GOOD,

Deputy Provincial Secretary. fe13dw

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Barkerville, Yale and Intermediate offices.	Wednesday 3 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
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Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 7 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
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